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## \*COVID-19 UPDATE\*

Eleven Additional Residents Test Positive, and 27 People have Recovered from the Virus

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- Eleven additional residents test positive for the virus, and 27 more have recovered: The
  number of people in the City who have tested positive for COVID-19 is now 1,593. With 793
  cases recovered and 86 fatalities, Framingham currently has 714 active cases. The Framingham
  Health Department contacts the people who were potentially exposed and the owners of the
  businesses or places of employment where the potential exposures occurred to inform and
  counsel them on next steps (contact tracing). In addition to the active cases, the Framingham
  Health Department currently is following 206 residents in quarantine.
- Reminder the City's Emergency Operations Center is now closed, and the City's new
  informational phone line will be activated on Tuesday, May 26: To reach the City's new
  informational phone line dial (508) 532-5411. After the line is activated, staff will answer calls
  Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m. 3:30 p.m.
- **Reminder:** Framingham beaches, playgrounds, basketball and tennis courts, track and athletic fields to remain closed until further notice.

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